



The Center for
Collaborative Online International Learning
at The **SUNY** Global Center

3rd COIL Conference

Collaboration and Technology in International Online Learning Environments

March 31 – April 1, 2011

SUNY Global Center

116 E. 55th St. (Btw. Park and Lexington Ave)

New York, NY 10022

212-317-3500

Directions to the SUNY Global Center from primary arrival points in NYC:

Grand Central Terminal (MTA Metro-North Railroad): The Global Center is a .75-mile walk north.

Pennsylvania Station (Amtrak, Long Island Railroad, New Jersey Transit): Take a Queens-bound E subway train to the "Lexington Avenue-53rd Street Station". Alternatively it is a 2.0 mile walk.

Port Authority Bus Station: Take a Queens-bound E subway train to the "Lexington Avenue-53rd Street Station". Alternatively it is a 1.5 mile walk.

Parking: The Global Center does not have its own parking facility. However, there are numerous parking garages in the area. Rates fluctuate, but you can expect to pay about \$40 per day.

The subway costs \$2.25 per ride if you use a free multi-ride Metrocard which is available from vending machines or agents at each station. Single ride tickets cost \$2.50. More information about NYC's public transit can be found at <http://mta.info/nyct/>.

Hotel Information

Reservation Deadline: February 28, 2011 or sooner if capacity is reached

Earliest Check-in Date: March 30, 2011

Latest Check-out Date: April 3, 2011

Holiday Inn - Manhattan View (Queens)

39-05 29th Street

Long Island City, NY 11101

(718) 707-3700

Reservations:

Phone: (800) 315-2605

Online: <http://www.holidayinn.com/hotels/us/en/long-island-city/lgali/hoteldetail>

Group Name: SUNY COIL Conference

Group Code: SUN

Conference Rates:

\$115 + tax single/double occupancy, one bed

\$125 + tax double occupancy, two beds

Parking: \$20 per day (very limited spaces, overflow parking nearby)



The Verve Hotel (Queens)

(Choice Hotels International Ascend Collection)
40-03 29th Street
Long Island City, NY 11101
(718) 786-4545

Reservations:

Phone: (718) 786-4545

Group Name: SUNY Global Center

Conference Rates (single or double occupancy):

\$119.99 + tax King Size Bed (including breakfast)

\$139.99 + tax Two Queen Beds (including breakfast)

Parking: \$20 per day

Subway Directions from Long Island City, Queens:

Both of these hotels can be easily reached by subway from the Global Center. The nearest subway station to the hotels is "39th Avenue" which is served by the N and Q lines. Take a Manhattan bound train and get off at the second stop, "Lexington Avenue - 59th St". The Global Center is located a few blocks south at 116 East 55th St. between Lexington and Park Avenues. You can find directions [here](#). Alternatively it would be about a \$15 taxi ride from the hotels to the Global Center.

Courtyard by Marriott Midtown East (Manhattan)

866 Third Avenue
New York, NY 10022
(212) 644-1300

Reservations:

Phone: (800) 321-2211

Online: <http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/nycme-courtyard-new-york-manchattan-midtown-east/?groupCode=sccscca>

Group Name: SUNY COIL Center

Group Code: sccscca

Conference Rates (single or double occupancy):

\$199 + tax King Size Bed

Parking: \$48 per day (valet only)

Directions: This hotel is a 5-minute walk from the Global Center. You can find directions [here](#).

If you would prefer a different Manhattan hotel, you can find a list of hotel options near the SUNY Global Center [here](#).